

Diocesan Notes.

Monday, August 7th, will be the twelfth anniversary of the Bishop's consecration.

CALGARY.—On Wednesday, July 5th, an interesting ceremony took place at the pro-Cathedral Church of the Redeemer in connection with the installation of the honorary Canons R. Hilton, H. W. Gibbon Stocken and H. Havélock Smith. The Bishop referred in his address to the growth of the Diocese during the last 12 years and to the necessity laid upon all church members to take an active interest in Diocesan affairs and not to consider that a local interest in their own parish was as much as could be expected from them.

At the request of the Vestry the Bishop has appointed his chaplain, Rev. S. H. Cnibitt, M. A., acting rector of the pro-Cathedral.

DEATH:—On 20th June, 1899, at the North-Western Hotel, Liverpool, Eng., Abraham Richard Colles, of Calgary, N. W. T., Advocate.

Mr. Colles was a member of the Diocesan Synod and of the vestry of the Church of the Redeemer. He was a graduate of the University of Dublin and a member of the Irish bar; but delicacy of health compelled him to leave Ireland, and he eventually fixed his residence in Alberta. His death was caused by nervous prostration, the result of severe sea-sickness during his voyage across the Atlantic. The syn-

pathy of Church people goes out in her bereavement to Mrs. Colles, who with her husband has ever been an active worker in Church affairs.

BANFF MISSION.—Rev. W. B. Magnan, Trinity College, Toronto, rector of St. Paul's Church, Salem, Oregon, U. S. A., has accepted the offer of St. George's, Banff, etc., and will enter upon his duties on Sunday, 13th August. Mr. Magnan was ordained Deacon and Priest in Algoma where he laboured several years. For the past six years he has been in the United States.

DE WINTON.—It is proposed to build a church near De Winton on some land given by Mr. Richard Paling, viz: the N. W. corner of N. W. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 30 Tp. 21 R. 1 W. 5th M. measuring 40 yards from the N. W. corner in an easterly direction and 121 yards in a southerly direction from the said corner.

DIOCESAN SECRETARY. — The Rev. W. Freemantle Webb will continue his labours in the East and return in time to attend Provincial Synod on the way.

ENDOWMENT FUND.—The sum of £2,700 is needed for the completion of the Calgary Bishopric Endowment Fund. An appeal is being made for this amount in the "Guardian," and